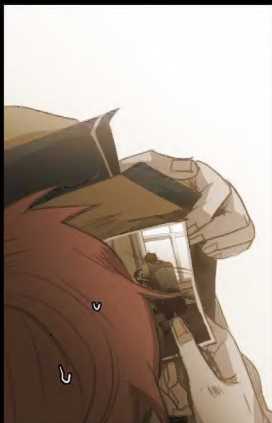


Out of Control

WRITER BBOONG
ARTIST BBOONG



THIS IS FROM
THE DAY I POUNCED
ON JAERIM.



HOW WAS
THIS PICTURE
TAKEN?

WHO WOULD
DO...



...SUCH
A THING?!

EVEN AFTER
I FOUND THAT
PICTURE...

...NO ONE WAS GIVING ME AN ODD LOOK.

JUST THE USUAL ATTENTION.



SINCE NOTHING SPECIAL SEEMS TO BE GOING ON AT SCHOOL,



IT DOESN'T SEEM LIKE THE PHOTO HAS SPREAD YET.



BEING CAUGHT BY SOMEONE RIGHT NOW WILL BE A PROBLEM ITSELF BUT...



CLANK



ABOVE ALL,



YURI, ARE YOU
OKAY? YOUR FACE
IS AWFULLY PALE...

ARE YOU SICK?
DO YOU HAVE TO
GO TO THE CLINIC?

I CAN'T LET
ANYONE, ESPECIALLY
THE GIRLS WHO ARE
INTERESTED IN ME, KNOW
ABOUT THIS.



NO.

I'M FINE.

CREEPY...
HOW DID
SHE KNOW?

IT WILL BE
BAD IF THIS
GETS OUT.

NEVERMIND
ME. JAERIM,
HE...

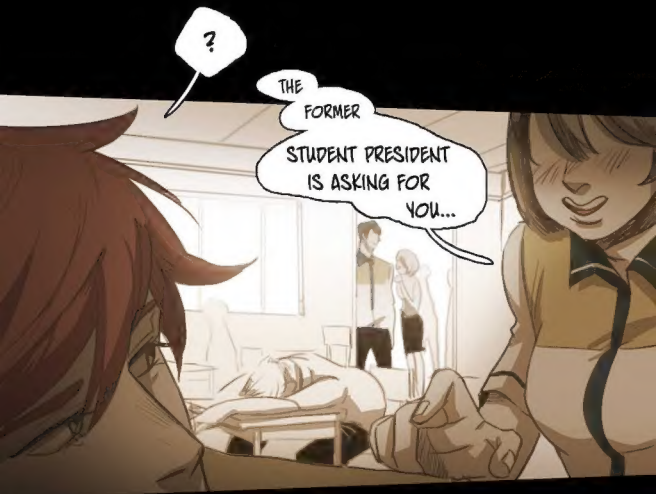
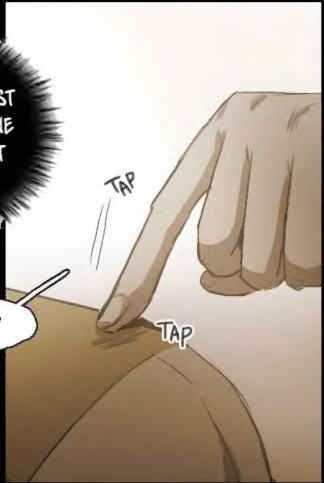


HE MIGHT
GET INTO TROUBLE
FOR THIS.

I NEED TO
FIND A WAY OUT
OF THIS QUICK.

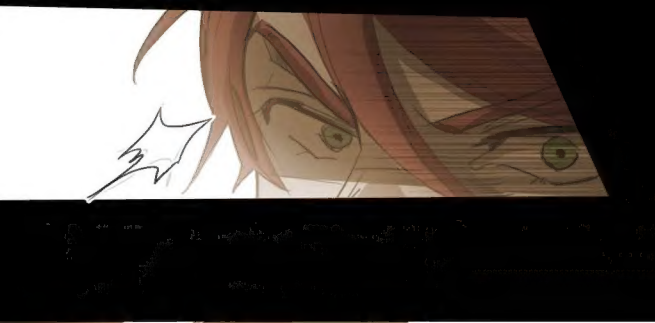
FIRST, I NEED
TO NARROW THE LIST
DOWN TO SOMEONE
WHO WOULD BE AT
SCHOOL AT THAT
HOUR.

HEY, YURI!



HE WANTS YOU
TO COME OUT
FOR A SEC.

THE MOST LIKELY
PERSON WHO'D DO
THAT, AS FAR AS
I KNOW,



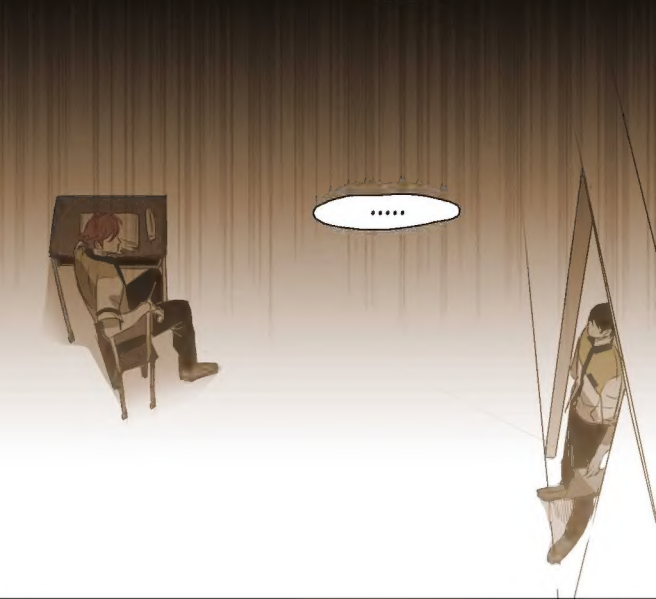
Hin

IS THE FORMER
PRESIDENT!

IF IT REALLY IS
HIM WHO CREATED
THIS MESS...

...BUT
FOR WHAT
PURPOSE?!

.....



YOU ASKED FOR ME?

YES.

I WANTED
TO GIVE YOU

THE EXTRACURRICULAR
ACTIVITIES SHEET YOU
ASKED FOR.

HE CALLED ME
OVER THAT?

MOREOVER,
HIS PRETENTIOUS
BEHAVIOR IS REALLY
SUSPICIOUS.

AH, IT WAS MY MISTAKE
IN THE FIRST PLACE...



THANK YOU
FOR FINDING IT.

YES, SO
THINGS LIKE
THESE...

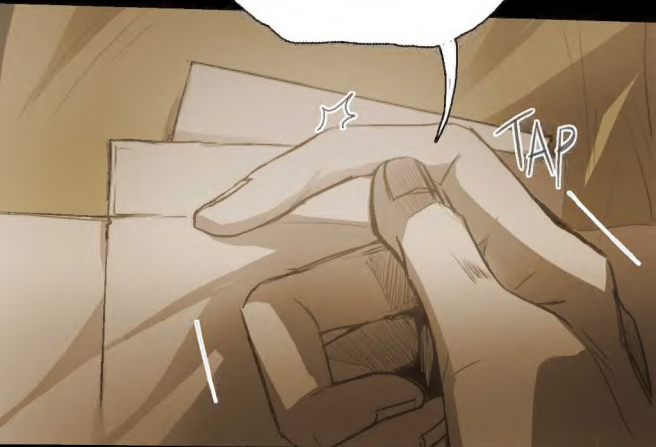


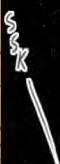
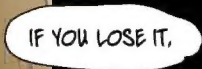
SOMEONE COULD HAVE
HANDED THIS IN WITH HIS NAME ON
IT WITHOUT ANYONE KNOWING...
YOU GOTTA BE CAREFUL.

.....

SO

DON'T YOU
LOSE IT EVER
AGAIN.





I KNEW
IT!

HE IS
THE CULPRIT!

KIM JAERIM
WOULD
NEVER

EVER FALL
IN LOVE
WITH ME

SO HE'D WANT
ME TO BE WITH
SOMEONE BETTER
THAN HIM SO THAT
I WOULDN'T
GET HURT.

HE'D ALSO
THINK THAT I'D
BE BETTER OFF
WITH SOMEONE
OTHER THAN HIM.

THAT'S WHY JAERIM
MUST HAVE TRIED TO
SET ME UP WITH
PRESIDENT KANG...

I COULD TELL
BY THE STUPID
EXPRESSION ON
HIS FACE.



G



O

OD

YOU



YOU TRIED
TO BE NICE
OUT OF
YOUR OWN
SELFISHNESS.

THEN WERE YOUR ACTIONS AN ACT OF

MALEVOLENCE

OR GENEROSITY?

THROUGH YOUR
GENEROSITY,
I SAW YOUR
SELFISHNESS
OF TRYING TO
AVOID ME,

AND I WAS
TOO HURT
BY THAT...



I WAS SO
FURIOUS

THAT I DID
SOMETHING
YOU WOULDN'T
LIKE BY
FORCE



AND I
PUSHED YOU.

I ACTED
MALICIOUSLY.



I LICKED
YOUR
LIPS,

AND I
DESIRED
YOU.



OUTRAGED,
I WAS
UNABLE TO
BE RATIONAL.

AND I
WAS TOO
CARELESS.



WHO KNEW
SOMETHING
LIKE THIS
WOULD
HAPPEN?



DO YOU EVEN
KNOW WHAT'S GOING
ON RIGHT NOW? HOW
COULD YOU SMILE LIKE
THAT?

Oo

STILL, I
SHOULD
APOLOGIZE
TO HIM..

HE MUST
BE UPSET..

HEHE

HEHE

IT'S NO
TIME FOR
LAUGHS

HOW COULD HE BE
SMILING AFTER BEING
ALMOST RABED BY ME...

SHUK

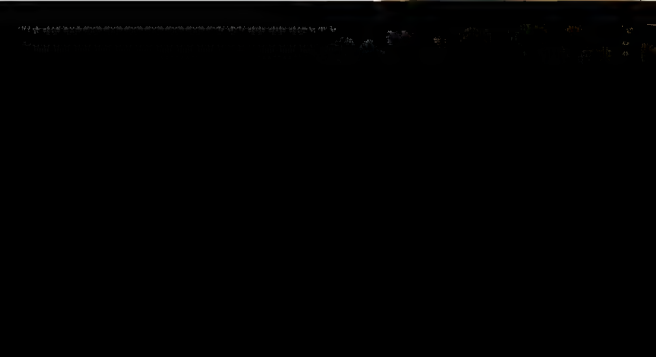
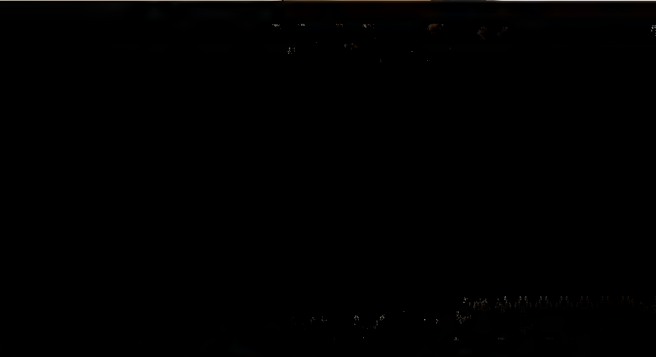
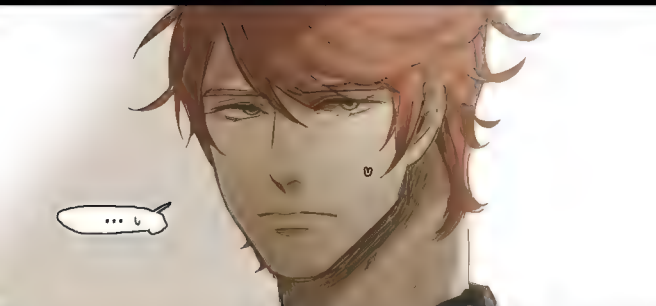
ARGH!!
YOUR
EVERYWHERE!!

PPFT

WHAT'S
WRONG WITH HIS
EXPRESSION?

IS SOMETHING
IN HIS DRINK?

HOW CUTE.



IT'S PROBABLY
BETTER TO IGNORE
HIM WITHOUT SAYING
ANYTHING.

EVEN IF THAT'S NOT
THE CASE, IT'S PROBABLY
SOMETHING JAERIM
WOULD PREFER.



I'M GLAD I
TOLD HIM AGAIN
TO BUTT OUT OF
MY LIFE.

ALL WILL BE
BACK TO NORMAL
AS LONG AS I FIGURE
OUT A WAY OUT OF
THIS ON MY OWN.

1 SCRUNCH

ARE YOU
GOING TO KEEP
AVOIDING ME?

I'M HURT.



UGH...

I HAVEN'T
FIGURED OUT HOW
TO SOLVE THIS
PROBLEM YET!

CAN'T BELIEVE
I RAN INTO HIM
ALREADY.

YOU COULDN'T
HAVE NOT REALIZED
WHO TOOK THE
PHOTO.

WHEW—

IT'S NOT
CLEAR WHAT WE'RE
DOING IN THE
PHOTO.

I THOUGHT
YOU WOULD'VE
COME TO SEE
ME A LONG
TIME AGO...

I COULD
JUST SAY THAT
I TRIPPED.

SINCE
THAT PICTURE IS
THE ONLY EVID-
ENCE.

DOES IT NOT
BOTHER YOU
AT ALL?



THAT'S
NOT TRUE.



Panel 1: Two characters are shown from the chest up. The character on the left has dark hair and is wearing a brown jacket. The character on the right has reddish-brown hair and is wearing a yellow jacket. They are in a dark, textured environment. A speech bubble from the dark-haired character says, "EVEN IF THAT'S NOT TRUE,". Another speech bubble from the same character says, "WILL THE TRUTH MATTER TO THE OTHERS AS WELL?". A third speech bubble from the reddish-haired character says, ".....".

EVEN IF THAT'S NOT TRUE,

WILL THE TRUTH MATTER TO THE OTHERS AS WELL?

THEY JUST ENJOY GOSSIPING. YOU KNOW THAT.

IF THIS INFORMATION GETS LEAKED,

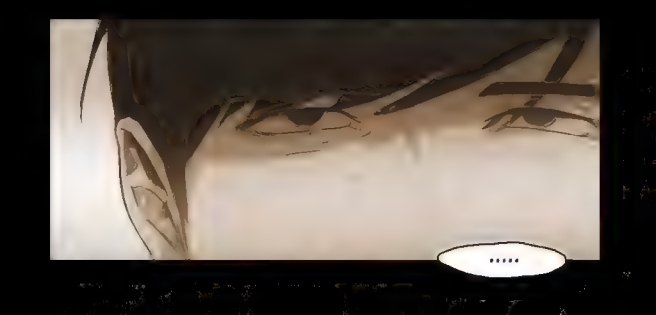
OTHER KIDS WILL TURN AWAY FROM YOU.

IF THAT HAPPENS, I CAN SWITCH SCHOOL.

YOU'LL RUIN OUR STUDENT COUNCIL'S REPUTATION

AND PEOPLE WHO ARE IMPORTANT TO YOU MIGHT EVEN LEAVE YOU.

MY FRIENDS ARE NOT THE ONES TO LEAVE ME THAT EASILY.



Panel 2: A close-up of the reddish-haired character's face. He has a serious expression. A speech bubble from him says, ".....".

.....

THE LOOK
IN HIS EYES
CHANGED!

.....

IT'S ANNOYING HOW
HARD YOU'RE TRYING
TO REMAIN CALM.

DID I
PROVOKE
HIM?

?!


OF COURSE IT
DOESN'T MATTER
TO YOU.

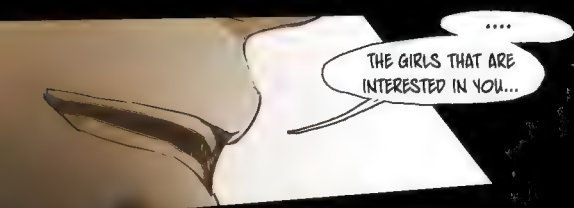
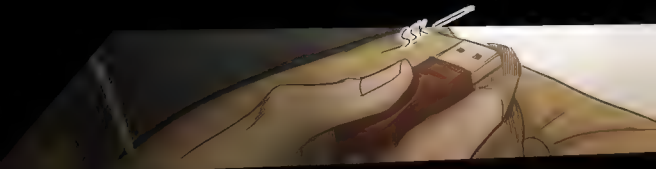
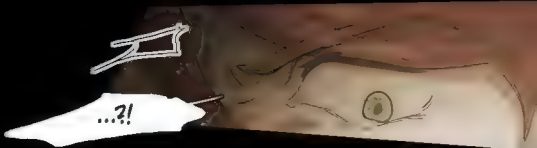
BUT
WHAT ABOUT
KIM JAERIM?

?!


FLINCH

COULD HE ENDURE
THE PRESSURE?





ALL
I NEED IS
THAT USB.

IT'S NOT
A PROBLEM.

SO

WHAT IS IT
THAT YOU WANT?

HEH~ I KNEW
YOU WERE
A SMART
ONE.

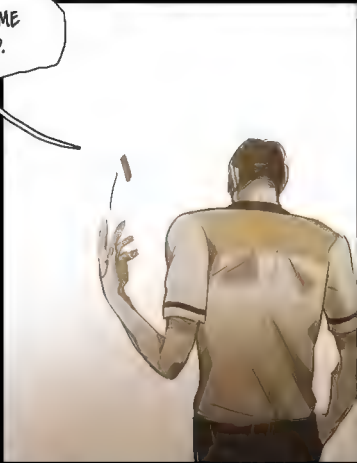
ALTHOUGH
YOU DIDN'T HAVE
A CHOICE FROM
THE START.

IF YOU DON'T
WANT ANY HARM,
YOU BE
CAREFUL OF
WHAT YOU DO.

FIRST,
STOP
PRETENDING
TO BE CALM.

I WANT
TO SEE YOU IN
A DESPERATE
STATE,

BEGGING ME
TO STOP.



THIS WAS MY
ENCOUNTER
WITH THE
FORMER
PRESIDENT.

I PROMISED
I'D OBEY HIM
NO MATTER
WHAT BEFORE
PARTING.



BUT...



IT'S
GONE!



THE PHOTO...



...IS GONE!



TO BE CONTINUED